

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:)	Art Unit: 1642
Esturo OGATA et al)	Examiner: A. HARRIS
Appln. No.: 09/763,370)	Washington, D.C.
Date Filed: February 21, 2001)	Confirmation No. 9907
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REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

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Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed July 15, 2003,
petition for extension of time and three month's late fee
being attached hereto, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of

claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

An Appendix including three citations is attached following
page 17 of this paper.